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1. [] - CEA) Talked to Mrs. Graves, Administrative Assistant to Representative Horace Kornegay (D., N.C.), concerning [] an Agency applicant. [] had thought she would EOD on 17 June but her appointment has been held up. I explained to Mrs. Graves that we have some problems since it is almost certain that we will have to take a budget cut as well as a reduction in personnel. Mrs. Graves was aware of this problem and said she would inform []. I told Mrs. Graves, I would be back in touch with her when we would be able to provide a more definitive answer.

2. ([] - CEA) Don Bend, from the staff of the House Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization called on behalf of Representative William McCulloch (R., Ohio) to inquire how the Rotary International could get in touch with Svetlana Stalina. I provided him with the name of the law firm which is handling her affairs.

3. ([] - RW) Gene Ainsworth, in the office of Representative G. V. Montgomery (D., Miss.), called to request an employment interview for []. An appointment was setup with [] for tomorrow at 2 p.m.

4. [] Mr. Miller and I met with Representative Claude Pepper (D., Fla.) and briefed him in general terms on the fact []

See Memo for the Record for details.

5. [] - JMM) Met with Representative Edward Derwinski, of the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee Manpower Subcommittee, in connection with the upcoming hearings on S.1035 (Constitutional Rights of Federal Employees). I expressed to Derwinski our concern over certain provisions of the bill and asked his advice and assistance. He was most cooperative and promised to do what he could in our behalf. See Memo for the Record for details.

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25X1 6. [] Met with Representative James Broyhill concerning our problems with S.1035. He was sympathetic and indicated he would do what he could but was pessimistic about the outcome. He explained he had received more mail in support of this bill than any other legislation now pending.

25X1 7. [] In the absence of Representative Thaddeus Dulski, Chairman of the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, I briefly explained our problem to his Executive Assistant, Mr. Frank Fortune, who indicated that neither he nor Mr. Dulski had focused on the problem, and had been under the impression that since the Agency was not under Civil Service it would not be affected. I pointed out the language of the bill applying to all Executive departments and agencies. Mr. Fortune said he would clarify this to Mr. Dulski at the first opportunity.

25X1 8. [] I called Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, and advised that Wednesday, the 12th, which had been suggested by him yesterday as a possible date for briefing Representative Lipscomb on Agency external research contracts is a good date for Mr. Duckett and Mr. Proctor. Mr. Michaels will confirm this with Representative Lipscomb today or tomorrow and will call me back.

25X1 9. [] Met with Mr. Charles Johnson, and later with Mr. Bun Bray, House Post Office and Civil Service staff. Mr. Johnson advised in effect that hearings on S. 1035 by the Manpower Subcommittee have been scheduled to start next week and it now appears that serious question has been raised within the Committee structure concerning CIA exemption from the provisions of the bill.

In meeting with Mr. Bray he advised that the Committee has scheduled Thursday, 13 June, for possible appearance by CIA representatives and representatives of NSA, but that due to other national events, the Committee schedule must be considered tentative. He advised that the Chairman desired that Agency representatives, as well as representatives of NSA, appear in open session following hearings on the first day with Mr. John Macy, Chairman of the Civil Service Commission, as the principal or lead-off witness. Mr. Bray did not indicate whether any other agencies were being invited to appear. Mr. Bray also noted that the previously suggested meeting between Chairman Henderson, Mr. Gross and Colonel White would no longer serve a useful purpose. It is the Chairman's desire that any information provided the Committee be given with the full Committee present and recorded by a reporter. Mr. Bray indicated that a letter to the Chairman would be necessary if the Agency is unable to appear in open session. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

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25X1 10. [] In response to his call I met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who advised that during the appearance of Army representatives before the Committee, testimony had been provided concerning testing of Soviet helicopters. The transcript, however, was not available at the moment. He will call me when it is available so that it may be reviewed prior to the publication by the Committee.

25X1 11. [] Called Chairman George Mahon at his home and made an appointment for Mr. Maury and Mr. Warner to meet with him "around 11:30 tomorrow morning" concerning the scheduled Henderson Subcommittee hearing on S. 1035.

25X1 12. [] [] at various times during the day concerning scheduled
25X1 hearings by the Manpower and Civil Service Subcommittee of House Post Office and Civil Service on S. 1035. [] advised in part, that
25X1 he had been called late in the afternoon by Mr. Bray's secretary and advised that the tentative schedule for appearance by NSA on Thursday, 13 June, has been changed and that they will in all probability be scheduled for the following week.

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